Anchal Department.

257. MR. S. NILAKANTA AIYAR (*Trivandrum I—General*): Will the Hon'ble Minister for Anchal be pleased to state:

(*a*) the grade and pay of Anchal Masters in the State;

(*b*) the grade of pay of clerks and peons in the Anchal Department;

(*c*) whether Government have any definite plan or idea for raising the pay of Anchal Masters, clerks and peons; and

(*d*) if the answer to (c) is in the affirmative when will it take effect?

HON'BLE MR. K. R. ELANKATH: (*a*) There are 3 grades of Anchal Masters and clerks as shown blow:

1st grade Rs. 80-100
2nd grade Rs. 45-75
3rd grade Rs. 30-45

(*b*) There are only two grades of Anchal men viz., on Rs. 20 and Rs. 15.

(*c*) A revision of pay of the staff of the Anchal Department has been recently sanctioned by Government.

(*d*) The revision will take effect from the beginning of the year 1124.

Starting Salary.

258. MR. KANNARA GOPALA PANICKER: Will the Hon'ble Minister for General Administration be pleased to state:

(*a*) the minimum academic qualification required for and the starting salary for the following posts:—

1. Co-operative Inspector
2. Excise Inspector
3. Police Inspector
4. Sub-Registrar
5. P. W. D. Supervisors
6. Sub-Assistant Surgeon
7. District Munsiff
8. Graduate Teacher

(*b*) the reason for the disparity if any in the starting salary of graduate teacher in spite of a double degree qualification required for the post;

(*c*) have the Government received any representation from graduate teachers requesting for higher starting, if so the action taken thereof; and

(*d*) are the Government aware of the fact that the graduate teacher in Bombay and Madras Presidencies enjoy a better scale of pay than what is available in Travancore?

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